



Philadelphia, Sept. 10 1888

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Superintendent U.S. Mint:
Dear Sir:

In response to your request, I beg leave to say that the man in your employment, Thomas C. Pecke, about whom we had the conversation - was convicted in the U.S. Courts, before the late Judge Cadwalader, for frauds upon the internal revenue. His place, S. E. Cor. 13th and Christian, was seized and confiscated.

The trial and conviction occurred in the United States Courts in 1876, as may be seen by the records.



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The character of this man has been recently ventilated and it is a matter, not of only of self-respect to yourself as Superintendent of the Mint, but also as a protection to the valuable interests under your care, that you should be thus thoroughly notified of the facts.

Yours respectfully,
J. M. Munn

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Peter Munroe

Relative to Thos. C. Peck

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Select Council
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Yours Respectfully,
Peter Munroe